OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT, POWER AND LIGHTING, BHADRAVATI.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Tender Notification, dated 30th March 1939 calling for tenders for "Running a three-phase Power Line to the Work-shop at Shimoga Town Railway Station," published in Part VI, pages 611-612 of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 30th March 1939. The latest date for receiving tenders is 24th April 1939.

K. SUBBA RAO,
Superintendent.

INDIAN POST AND TELEGRAPHS DEPARTMENT.

Notification dated Bangalore, the 24th March 1939.

(Call for tenders for conveyances of Mails in Urban or Rural areas).

Sealed tenders are invited for the conveyance of mails by motor vehicles daily between Davangere and Bharmasagara for up and down journeys throughout the year for a fixed monthly subsidy for a period of three years commencing from the date which will be notified. The approximate daily mileage at present involved is 40 miles. No tenders quoting "any remuneration deemed suitable" or words to that effect will be accepted.

2. A copy of the schedules showing full details of the services required and copies of the forms of tender (on which tenders must be made) and agreement and any further information in the matter may be obtained on application from the office of the undersigned on payment of Rs. 5 which must be credited in a post office and the receipt therefor produced. This sum will not be refunded in any case.

3. All tenders must be addressed to the undersigned by name clearly marked "Tender for Davangere-Bharmasagara mail contract" on the outside of the cover and must reach him on or before the 1st May 1939.

4. Tenders will be opened by the undersigned in his office on the 2nd May 1939 at 12 noon in the presence of such tenderers as may wish to be present there.

5. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason for the rejection of any tender.

(Conditions of tender for Davangere-P.O. Bharmasagara P.O. mail contract line).

All tenders must be sealed and addressed to the undersigned by name and clearly marked "Tender for Davangere-Bharmasagara mail motor contract" on the outside of the cover and must reach him on or before the 1*st May* 1939 *by* 5 *p.m.*

2. The approximate daily mileage at present involved is 40 miles. A copy of the schedule showing the number, timings and other details of the service required and copies of the form of tender (on which tenders must be made) and of agreement and bond which will have to be executed by the successful tenderer are given herewith. The successful tenderer will be required to get the contract deed registered at his own cost.

3. Tenders will be opened in the office of the undersigned at 12 noon on the 2nd May 1939 in the presence of such tenderers as may wish to be present there.

4. No tenders quoting "Any remuneration deemd suitable" or words to that effect will be accepted. Should a tenderer so desire, he may, however offer to convey the mail free or mention the amount which he is prepared to pay the Department per month for the privilege of conveying mail. If a subsidy is quoted, it should be for a complete rupee or rupees and should not contain any fraction of a rupee.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by Rs. 25 in cash as deposit money which will be refunded if the tender is not accepted. Tenders without earnest money are liable to be summarily rejected. Should the selected contractor fail to take up the work by the specified date, his tender will automatically lapse and deposit money pledged by him forfeited.

6. The minimum number of motor vehicles required to be maintained by the contractor will be two. Tenderers must clearly state whether they are agreeable to maintain this number of vehicles as otherwise their tenders will not be considered.

7. Tenderers should forward with their tenders letters of evidence from the District Superintendent of Police or other concerned District authorities to the effect that the vehicles mentioned in their tender have been or will be licensed and permitted to run on the particular road or roads mentioned in the tender.

8. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason or the rejection of any tender.

M. A. HAMID KHAN,
Superintendent of Post Offices,
Bangalore Division.